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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Jong G. Jung et al.

Application No.: 10/603,976

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Art Unit: 2813

For: CMP SLURRY COMPOSITION FOR OXIDE  
FILMS AND METHODS FOR FORMING  
METAL LINE CONTACT PLUGS USING THE  
SAME

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

There are no amendments to the specification or drawings.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.